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Vivian who lived in the days of the emorable flood which submerged the land, some my in 1014 and others in Chief Problem.

Only One Test of Worth. Not what we have, or know, or even int we do, but what we are-that determines our worth. Great universities know this. See their mottoes, One motto is "Quaecumque sunt vers." (Whatsoever things are true.) Another one is "The truth shall make you free." Another, "Culture must flourish under the law of God." Another, "Culture without character is a vain thing."-Exchange.

How Rainfall is Recorded The government gauge for recording rainfall consists of a cylinder two feet high, eight inches in diameter, upon which a funnel of the same diameter fits. Within that is a brass cylinder of the same height, the diameter a little over two and one-half inches. In it is a measuring tube, the area of which compared with the area of the funnel is as ten to one, so that when a one-hundredth of an luch falls in the funnel it becomes onetenth of an inch in the measuring

The Savier in Profane History. Among the historical references to Jesus Christ which are undisputed is that made by Tacitus, the Roman bistorian, who on speaking of the Christians said, "The originator of that name had been executed in the reign of Tiberius by order of the administrator, Pontius Pilate." This may be found in the Annals of Terevat, Reference to Christ is also made in the "Antiquities of Josephus," a Jewish historian, who was contemporary with Christ, but this passage is declared by some to be a forgery.

Calling in Caire, Englishmen who do not know Caire metimes take houses in remote and undestrable parts of the city. In "Egypt as We Knew It" Mrs. E. L. Butcher amusingly describes how hard it is to find a person who has thus gone astray. Her husband, she says, wrote to a doctor for the address of some friends whom she knew he had attended. Here is the doctor's answer: "The M-'s live in a house without a number in a street without a name next door to an Armenian butcher who, I think, has no sign, west of Abdin palace! The staircase has eighty-seven steps."

It Will Grow. Democracy can never be extended by force, as you would fling a net ever a flock of birds; but give it a chance and it will grow, as a tree grows, by sending down its roots into the heart of humanity and lifting its top toward the light and spreading its arms wider and wider until all the persecuted flocks of heaven find refuge beneath its protecting shade.—Henry Van

Beards in History. Pliny, we are informed, "observed that Sciple Africanus was the man who introduced the fashion of the daily shave, "and the Russians wore beards until Czar Peter enjoined them all to shave, but he was obliged to keep on foot a number of officers to cut off, by violence, the beards of such as would not otherwise part with them."

Preserving Milk. Is milk condensed? Milk is condensed by the evaporation of the wates it contains, after it has been sterilized. Sugar is added to some brands, and is not added to others, and the unsweetened is known as "evaporated" milk to distinguish it from the sweetened. Copper tanks holding 1,000 gallons or more are used in the sterilization of the milk, and

the water is evaporated in huge

vacuum pans.

Smoke as a Lightning Rod. It would seem that a building 9,000 feet above the sea level should be protected by lightning rods, but the astronomical observatory at Mount Etna has not, and does not, need such protection. The observatory is near the summit of the volcano, and the stream of vapor constantly rising from the crater acts as a natural conductor, draining the electricity out of the clouds, so that lightning is seldom seen.

For Antiquarians to Solve, discussing the origin of names from occupations an inferesting point crops up. A man might have been a cooper and his son a weaver, why was the family known as coopers and not weavers? Just at what point did the appellation crystalise into a name? Careful study has falled to clear up

Coment Must Se Heated It is often convenient to have a costures. Here is the recips for a good heal-withstanding coment: Take fifty parts of sulphur, one part of sin and one part of tallow. Take e ingredients together and add fine dered gives to form's pasts. This sit must be heated before being

Try This To prevent the gloss coming off of your white paint with it with mile and a little soap. That will be much

Sweaters in Delightful Weaves and Charming Colors.

sation of Tinte That Afford Prottiest Effect Proves to Be

Everywhere one goes shopping jus now there are to be seen the mos delightful aweaters in all weaves and colors, and also the most attractive sport skirts in all the wanted shades of the new silks. But sometimes it is a problem to know just what colers to combine to obtain the prettiest

A beautiful sweater, tuxedo model. of peach silk in a fancy weave, was worn with a canton crepe skirt of French blue, and the combination was very dainty. A rather large drooping hat of the blue crepe was faced with peach stik, and worn with this cos-

Of course, white is the most practical for a sport skirt, as it goes well with any blouse or sweater you may enre to wear. If you have a white skirt from last summer, and it is a bit yellow from laundering, why not tint it one of the new shades? There are any number of good coloring powders on the market that require no boiling and but a few minutes' time.

You might that your last year's skirt a lovely malze shade and wear it with a black slip-on sweater. If you run yellow ribbon through your black sweater the result will be very

An unusual outfit was a coatsweater of chocolate-colored wool with



Dainty Sweater-Blouse of Silk, With Blocks of Cubist Coloring.

long-tasseled girdle, worn with skirt of light rose baronet satin. A rose silk soft sport hat, embroidered in a few tan wool motifs, completed the charming effect.

MOUNTINGS ON HANDBAGS

Much Elaboration Given to the Get-up of Both Afternoon and Evening Purses.

The envelope handbag is not the only shape in frequent use, nor is red leather the only material. There is great variety in the shape, the size and the colorings of the new French purses. . There are large caselike nurses of black suede carrying handsome monograms and tiny evening bags of elongated shape made of bright colored failles, moires and oddly striped silks mounted on small, square tops. Much elaboration is noted in the mountings of afternoon and evening purses, many being studded with costly jewels.

For those who hold to the fashion for black or black and white, eschewing all bright colors for the time being, there are beautiful little pocketbooks of black silk with pearl-studded mountings or with the wearer's mono

gram outlined in pearls. A great vogue is evinced for very decorative mountings and frames for handbags. So many women are deing tapestry and bead embroidery that it makes these novelty frames in great demand, as once the work is finished the bag can be sewn to one of these mountings with gratifying results. Owing to the popularity of Egyptian patterns in tapestry work many of the new frames also are in Egyptian de-

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faded if kept in the light or in an open work basket. To overcome this and to have them convenient for use take a good sized square pasteboard box and fit a board inside. Then put nails in the board at various in tervals in rows far enough apart to allow space for the regular size spool slik or thread to stand easily side by side. When not in use all the spool over the nail, after making sure that the end of the thread is fastened so it cannot unravel. Qover it and keep it in a convenient place in the sewing room. The adva is that at a glance you know which allk you need without disturbing the others, and they are always fresh clean and right there.

Evening Gowns. The dyed face evening gown is ofte ed by a square cape of the same lane lined with taffets.

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